



Docket No.: 266746US26PCT



COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

ATTORNEYS AT LAW

STEVEN P. WEIHHROUCH  
(703) 413-3000  
SWEIHHROUCH@OBLON.COM

CHRISTOPHER A. BULLARD  
(703) 413-3000  
CBULLARD@OBLON.COM

RE: Application Serial No.: 10/525,797  
Applicants: Hiroshi KANNAN, et al.  
Filing Date: FEBRUARY 25, 2005  
For: SUBSTRATE PROCESSING UNIT, METHOD  
OF DETECTING END POINT OF CLEANING  
OF SUBSTRATE PROCESSING UNIT, AND  
METHOD OF DETECTING END POINT OF  
SUBSTRATE PROCESSING  
Group Art Unit: 4151  
Examiner: GOLIGHTLY, ERIC W.

SIR:

Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

#### ELECTION

In the event any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the Patent Office charges for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for any necessary Extension of Time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, please charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account No. 15-0030. Further, if these papers are not considered timely filed, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for the necessary extension of time.

Respectfully submitted,

OBLON, SPIVAK, McCLELLAND,  
MAIER & NEUSTADT, P.C.

Steven P. Weihrouch

Attorney of Record

Registration No. 32,829

Christopher A. Bullard  
Registration No. 57,644

Customer Number

22850

(703) 413-3000 (phone)  
(703) 413-2220 (fax)